

HALF OF THE MEN DRAFTED ASK EXEMPTION

About 50 per cent of the men called in to be examined for the selective draft in this county have failed to appear, according to a statement issued yesterday evening by the members of the local board. Whether this regrettable state of affairs is due to the fact that the county has an unusually large percentage of aliens, who are indifferent to the chances of exemption offered them and who do not realize that their only hope of escaping military duty lies in their appearing and securing their exemptions, is not known, but nevertheless only about half of the men called have seen fit to respond.

The local board has been asked repeatedly to define the status of the man, alien or citizen, who fails to come in for examination, and in response to the numerous inquiries of this sort, has issued a statement in which the matter is touched upon. According to the board, if the drafted men do not appear and present reasons why they should not be eligible for service, they thereby automatically waive all opportunity of offering any excuses, and are henceforth considered by the military authorities as being fit subjects for service who have been called and neither exempted nor discharged. Failure to appear merely hastens the automatic process of inducting the straggler into the ranks of the national army.

After the time allowed for filing exemption claims has elapsed, these persons will be enrolled as being in the military service. They will then be ordered to appear as soldiers. From this point on there will be swift and summary procedure of court-martials. Failure to report for military duty will constitute a charge of desertion against the slacker. These deserters are likely to be apprehended by either the civil or the military authorities, and if necessary, the entire forces of the United States army will be used to round up such deserters. An alien who fails to appear thereby forfeits all rights to which he might be entitled under existing treaties with his native country, and he will be compelled to do military duty after he is rounded up. The chance to appear before the exemption board was merely given for the protection of the alien subject, and if he does not elect to avail himself of the opportunity offered, he must take the consequences.

In regard to the claims for exemptions which have been filed by men having dependent relatives, the local board has been very strict in its personal of such applications, and it is not believed that there will be many fraudulent cases escape its eagle eye. However, in event any claim is put up to the district board which is apparently not o. k., the matter will be turned over to Assistant County Attorney Neil C. Clark for investigation. Mr. Clark has been designated by Provost Marshal General Crowder for this purpose, and he will appear before the district board and take appeals in all cases where the local board has discharged a person on the grounds of dependents and where he believes that the discharge should not have been made. Mr. Clark will investigate the matter and report to the district board whether or not the dependent relative mentioned in the exemption claim is wholly or only partially dependent for their support upon the one who claims the exemption, or whether there are any relatives who will assume the support of the dependent one during the absence of the regular provider.

The local board yesterday evening completed the list of names of men who had been called for examination on the dates of August 13th, 14th and 15th, and who have so far failed to appear. Those who did not show up on the 13th, are the following:

Vargas, Pablo F.—Crown King.
Durán, Dolores—Jerome.
Franco, Louis—Jerome.
Hernandez, Genaro—Crown King.
Hernandez, Gregorio—Puntney.
Serrano, Simon—Seligman.
Johnson, Carl—Constellation.
Magalhães, John—Cottonwood.
Andes, Rodo—Jerome.
Muriello, Vicente—Jerome.
Johnson, Berger W.—Humboldt.
Rodriguez, Cecilio—Jerome.
Rios, Miguel—Clarkdale.
Johnson, Curtis M.—Clarkdale.
Piagner, Cesar—Jerome.
Marchi, Wasso—Jerome.
Mitchell, Ernest L.—Mayer.
Rouse, Chas. A.—Jerome.
Cruz, Tomas—Ash Fork.
Fernandez, Francisco—Mayer.
Sandoval, Dionisio—Puntney.
Gonzales, Daniel—Jerome.

Caro, Jesus—Jerome.
Montenegro, Juan H.—Jerome.
Jinenez, Bonifacio—Jerome.
Norris, Homer—Fritsche.
Gonzales, Angel—Clarkdale.
De Santos, Ramon—Jerome.
Creech, Austin—Jerome.
Butierrez, Reyes—Ash Fork.
Gralofits, Theodore—Kirkland.
Zier, Mike—Ocotillo.
Price, John L.—Jerome.
Cavick, Demetrio—Jerome.
Hobbs, Harwell R.—Humboldt.
Kelly, Scott—Jerome.
Ortega, Jose—Prescott.
Guerrero, Alfredo—Seligman.
Erickson, Arvid—Jerome.
Sanchez, Felipe—Jerome.
Bori, Toni—Jerome.
Rodriguez, Jose—Clarkdale.
Fejeda, Felix G.—Clarkdale.
Sedillo, Frederic—Nelson.
Trebbino, Francisco—Jerome.
Scott, William Lee—Jerome.
Rainero, Frank—Jerome.
Sanceda, Anastacio—Jerome.
Bislich, Nick—Jerome.
Prado, Bernardino—Humboldt.
Sancido, Felipe—Jerome.
Turner, Virgil—Cottonwood.
Perales, Gualupe—Prescott.
Tapia, Epimerio—Prescott.
Mitchell, Robert B.—Jerome.
Those called to report on the 14th who did not appear are the following:

Abalos, Manuel—Crown King.
Sontellan, Refugio—Jerome.
Ochardo, Jesus—Puntney.
Ybarra, Fernando—Jerome.
Garcia, Bernabe—Jerome.
Pallores, Amador—Jerome.
Silba, Casimiro—Flagstaff.
Delgrasso, Peter—Jerome.
Ramonet, Ramon—Jerome.
Manillas, Jesus—Jerome.
Polacioz, Ramon—Prescott.
Gabolon, Rock—Seligman.
Pryor, Walter E.—Jerome.
Peltier, Gustavo—Jerome.
Peres, Juan—Seligman.
Minirich, Steve—Jerome.
Martinez, Emilio—Seligman.
Reavis, Jack V.—Cordes.
King, Will—Prescott.
Jimenes, Fiburriso—Nelson.
Arpero, Epifanio—Jerome.
Stoechi, Marco—Jerome.
Eaton, Wm. H., Jr.—Jerome.
Hernandez, Parifino—Stoddard.
Salas, Manuel—Jerome.
Perez, Roberto—Puntney.
Aguilar, Lenon—Hot Springs.
Donohue, John—Jerome.
Garcia, Angel—Clarkdale.
Rodriguez, Santos H. L.—Clarkdale.
Carillas, Aristeo—Jerome.
Bellamini, Nels—Jerome.
Hubbard, Elmer E.—Jerome.
Reagan, Patrick—Jerome.
Ciniini, Nazario—Jerome.
Mena, Victoriano—Ash Fork.
Giger, Robert A.—Humboldt.
Ocejo, Fedoro—Ash Fork.
Fontis, Tony—Cottonwood.
Bese, Francisco M.—Clarkdale.
Galich, Mike—Jerome.
Coyne, Martin—Hot Springs.
Ortega, Emilio—Jerome.
Hellsbush, Wm. W.—Clarkdale.
Catano, Francisco—Jerome.
Maese, Guadalupe—Jerome.
Sanchez, Ramon—Humboldt.
Yanez, Crisante—Ash Fork.
Roberts, Frank D.—Clarkdale.
Reid, Herbert—Crown King.
Zulli, Antonio—Jerome.
Hughes, Lawrence D.—Prescott.
Garcia, Jose—Ocotillo.

Of the men ordered in on the 15th, the following failed to respond:
Lopez, Atiliano—Jerome.
Head, James R.—Puntney.
Sentano, Jose—Seligman.
Vasquez, Vidal—Crown King.
Armado, Frank—Mayer.
Smith, Tom—Jerome.
McGrath, James—Jerome.
Roble, Jose—Seligman.
Buck, Perley H.—Prescott.
Madrid, Militor—Stoddard.
Johnson, Ernest—Mayer.
Romero, Rosendo—Cedar Glade.
Lopez, Herculario—Clarkdale.
Harrington, Pat—Huron.
Urtado, Francisco—Mayer.
Villegas, Santos—Mayer.
Ceballos, Aurelia S.—Jerome.
Telford, Francis M.—Flagstaff.
Shang, Jew—Prescott.
Castro, Porfirio—Jerome.
Tarin, John—Jerome.
Clayton, Ernest H.—Seligman.
Bicko, Pete—Jerome.
Alfonso, Miguel—Jerome.
Iskra, Steve—Jerome.
Kostich, George—Jerome.
Crowl, John—Jerome.
Gazwick, Mike—Jerome.
Harper, John—Jerome.
Estrada, Jose—Jerome.
Parcul, Alfaro—Jerome.
Lopez, Tranguilino—Clarkdale.
Rodriguez, Jose—Humboldt.
Quon, Jay—Jerome.
Reyes, Juan—Nelson.
Schindler, Walter E.—Clarkdale.
Valdiz, Jose—Ash Fork.
Lopez, Roderigo—Clarkdale.
Hraus, John—Prescott.
Klepich, Jack—Jerome.
McNeil, Milo S.—Clarkdale.
Stoddard, Chas. E.—Cornville.
Gallardo, Benacio—Mayer.
Almansa, Jesus—Nelson.
McCoy, Frank—Devey.
Reinhorn, William—Clarkdale.
Rodriguez, Aristeo—Jerome.

ONLY 5 PERCENT OF QUOTA GOES SEPTEMBER 5

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Herewith is presented for the first time, the full and complete list of names of the young men who have been called upon to form the first 30 per cent of Yavapai county's contingent to be furnished for the new national army which is now in the course of formation. The list contains 146 names, which is approximately 30 per cent of the county's quota plus 10 per cent or 5 more as alternates.

The men are expected to entrain in this city on September 5th, and go to Ft. Riley, Kansas, where they will at once begin intensive training, which will fit them for the service ahead of them. All of the men have been certified to the district board, and with the exception of two or three who have been granted an extension of time by the district body, all will have to go on the date mentioned and there is no appeal from the selections.

The local board has been notified of several extensions of time which have been granted to residents of this county by the district board. In the case of Charles Lawson, of Mayer, who was to have entrained with the first 30 per cent of the boys, the board granted him an extension until October, in order that his herd of cattle could receive his attention before his departure. Ralph O. Roland, of Prescott, was granted an extension until November 1st in order that his crops might be looked after, and the board also made a similar extension in the case of Herschel Hill, of Jerome Junction, who has crops to look after.

The district board, it is said, will be rather lenient in the matter of granting extensions to men who can prove that they have crops which would suffer if the owner were to be called away so early in the fall, although the board is said to be examining all such applications with a thoroughness which precludes all possibility of any slacker putting one over by means of false statements. Those, following whose names no annotation is made, were certified as soldiers without claiming exemption.

The following named are scheduled to leave on September 5th:

1858—Lukich, Dan; Humboldt, son of aged and infirm parents; disallowed.
1752—Leveque, Emile V.; Jerome.
3200—Umphrey, Harry E.; Humboldt.
3082—Sullivan, Peter; Jerome, son of widow; disallowed.
1117—Gamel, Geo. J.; Jerome.
2195—McGuire, Jas. C.; Mayer.
564—Collings, Clifford; Jerome.
2166—McClendon, Chas. C.; Mobile, Alabama.
596—Crouch, Lewis E.; Clarkdale, son of widow; disallowed.
3067—Stewart, Clarence E.; Simmons, wife and two children; disallowed.
2148—Murphy, Cornelius H.; Prescott.

1495—Hill, H. T.; Jerome Junction.
3070—Steel, Harry L.; Prescott.
1679—Kosilandich, J.; Jerome, wife and child; disallowed.
1732—Lawson, Chas. J.; Mayer.
107—Arriza, Rafael; Puntney.
1266—Giago, Juan; Seligman, dependent brother; disallowed.
600—Crismon, Eugene; Camp Verde.

1539—Jackson, Albert; Los Angeles.
1324—Harold, Fred. J.; Jerome.
3317—Whiche, Frank J.; Jerome.
1548—Jamerson, Robt.; Prescott.
2501—Price, Sterling E.; Phoenix, dependent child; disallowed.
10—Adams, Henry F.; Cottonwood.
2725—Rossi, Louis; Humboldt.
3149—Thacker, Edision F.; Jerome, aged and infirm father; disallowed.
487—Casauz, Manuel; Seligman, aged and infirm parents; disallowed.
1282—Gillon, Cecil R. E.; Prescott.
3090—Sughrue, Geo. P.; Winslow.
2719—Rogers, H. R.; Cornville.
2962—Slankard, Chas. H.; Phoenix.
652—Cooper, Wm. S.; Simmons.
2479—Plummer, Clayton E.; Pittsburgh, Penn.

513—Craig, Jno. J.; Jerome.
1651—Kirby, Kyle B.; Clarkdale.
2441—Perkins, Benj. J.; Puntney.
223—Berolatti, Joseph; Huron.
2066—Mitchell, Fred, Jr.; Ocotillo.
602—Cox, Eric T.; Camp Verde, aged and infirm parents; disallowed.
3293—Wallace, Geo. C.; Kirkland.
1456—Flores, Juan R.; Clarkdale, filed claim alien, no affidavit; disallowed.
3064—Standridge, Earl S.; Bisbee.
1419—Henderson, W. W.; Walker.
Ramos, Jubeintine—Crown King.
Chaire, Mercedes—Jerome.
Reig, William B.—Clarkdale.
Amair, Paul—Jerome.
Quintero, Marcos—Jerome.
Lowthian, James L.—Camp Verde.
Jencoll, Alais—Jerome.
White, Thos N.—Clarkdale.
Nemick, Nick—Mayer.
Garcia, Felix—Jerome.
Martinez, Jose—Jerome.
Stephens, S. D.—Camp Verde.

1549—Jackson, Eugene V.; Prescott, dependent mother; disallowed.
3272—Von Kuhn, W. M.; Ash Fork.
280—Blevins, Albert; Nelson.
3259—Viero, Pete; Humboldt.
868—Enlow, O. W.; Spencer, Mich.
2456—Phebus, Clarence A.; Stoddard.
2665—Riggio, Chas. J.; Prescott.
3273—Vrbanc, Mike; Jerome, dependent parents; disallowed.
2132—Morrison, Emmett T.; Evans-ton, Illinois.
1294—Gray, Clarence J. T.; Prescott.
1906—Mader, Paul L.; Jerome.
982—Ford, Chas. E.; Humboldt.
3325—White, W. H.; Constellation.
2915—Shumaker, C. D.; Clarkdale.
355—Brusley, Harold; Prescott.
809—Degnan, Chas. M.; Clarkdale, failed to file affidavit for dependent parents; disallowed.
114—Gibbons, Cecil; Stoddard.
3319—Whitice, Paul C.; Los Angeles.

2135—Montano, Amos; Prescott, failed to file affidavit; disallowed.
2622—Reif, Lorion; Prescott.
620—Clay, Geo. W.; Dewey.
1334—Hassett, D. B.; Clarkdale, failed to file affidavit; disallowed.
981—Files, Perza E.; Prescott.
1848—Longerot, Jno. J. R.; Congress Junction.
3376—Wiser, Jesse C.; Wagoner.
2662—Rickson, Reuben; Seligman.
1817—Logart, Barney, Jerome, dependent father; disallowed.
882—Eslick, Harry B.; Huron.
2260—Nicholas, Chas.; Jerome.
2758—Roland, Ralph O.; Prescott.
1868—Lynch, Michael L.; Prescott.
1211—Guyton, A. R.; Camp Verde.
2034—Mills, Jno. D., Jr.; Prescott.
2434—Pedicord, W. S.; Clarkdale.
3087—Sullivan, James; Clarkdale.
2695—Rogers, Elmer J.; Clarkdale.
1956—Math, Albert H.; Simmons.
3059—Stewart, Clyde J.; Jerome.
5—Abbott, Lyle; Prescott.
2365—Ogden, Wm. E.; Parks.
741—Danforth, Richard S.; Prescott.
1275—Gillanders, Kenneth; Prescott.
2316—Oldham, Claude S.; Amadaville, Ariz.

2225—McLane, Chas. W.; Prescott.
711—Chittenden, Daniel E.; Prescott.
841—Eckel, Claude O.; Jerome.
3405—Zeiger, Kenneth G.; Jerome, failed to file affidavit.
1314—Hallisey, Jno.; Jerome, dependent mother; disallowed.
1688—Kapler, Otto R.; Los Angeles.
335—Bradish, Jos. H.; Los Angeles.
2448—Peck Jake B.; Seligman.
1358—Hackett, Maurice J.; Seligman, dependent wife; disallowed.
2376—Pappanastasio, Jno. A.; Jerome.

1764—Lebsch, George; Ash Fork.
2396—Pate, Robert F.; Jerome.
2870—Schroeder, Thos. A.; Camp Verde.
360—Brown, Frank; Prescott.
2102—Monroe, Ralph E.; Camp Verde.
418—Claypool, Arthur; Springfield, Missouri.
112—Ash, Henry S.; Congress Jct.
2116—Moore, Paul C.; Williams.
805—Duncan, Roscoe; Jerome.
11—Adams, Harney C.; Prescott.
3096—Swanssen, Ben; Mayer.
3371—Wiggins, Commodore; Mayer.
2495—Porter, Horace; Hillside.
2167—McCown, Wm. F.; Glendale.
3147—Zugelder, Len L.; Prescott.
1722—Lawrence, Clinton O.; Jerome, dependent wife; disallowed.
1557—Jernigan, Geo.; Humboldt.
1595—Johnson, Alex. J. D.; Humboldt.

2184—McDonald, Revilo F.; Cottonwood.
1585—Jordan, Chester A.; Cottonwood.
1221—Grant, Walter H.; Humboldt, dependent widowed mother; disallowed.
3369—Wingert, Frank; Kirkland.
889—Evans, W. P.; Constellation.
383—Burriss, Gilbert C.; Jerome, dependent widowed mother; disallowed.
1957—Math, Adolph E.; Simmons.
3107—Tanner, Bud; Prescott.
2922—Shriver, Albert M.; Ocotillo.
1783—Lacavitt, Bernard; Prescott, dependent widowed mother; disallowed.
939—Felippi, C. L.; Groom Creek.
1639—Kendrick, Joseph; Mayer.
297—Bojorquez, Jesus; Jerome, dependent widowed mother; disallowed.
3043—Stackpole, Roy M. L.; Clarkdale, dependent widowed mother; disallowed.
1425—Henderson, Orville F.; Prescott.

656—Cordes, Fred J.; Turkey.
1919—Maddocks, Allan W.; Clarkdale.
1175—Gibson, Lawrence S.; Jerome.
2536—Quist, Homer; Congress Jct., postal service; disallowed.
221—Beck, Clyde; Mayer, dependent widowed mother; disallowed.
1414—Heckle, Frank C.; Mayer.
1091—Gaillard, Thaddeus A.; Ash Fork.
312—Boblett, Edw. L.; Prescott.
2984—Smith, Geo. G.; Junction, uncle of motherless child; disallowed.
3460—Woods, Herbert V.; Clarkdale.
3427—Rice, Frank A.; Mayer.
2953—Simpson, Lemuel W.; Prescott.
2871—Schueruan, Fritz T.; Cornville.
424—Bywaters, O. McD.; Stoddard.
657—Contreras, Lucas; Kirkland, dependent father and mother; disallowed.
300—Rozman, Pete; Clarkdale.
3296—Walter, William; Seligman, failed to file affidavit.

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KNAPPER'S BOND IS RAISED TO \$22,250

**YOUTH CHARGED WITH
KELLOGG MURDER IS
REMANDED TO JAIL
WHEN COURT BOOSTS
BAIL BY \$2,250.**

(From Sunday's Daily.)

The bail bond of Dave Knapper, the youth who is charged with the murder of his step-father, Al. B. Kellogg, was yesterday afternoon raised from \$20,000 to \$22,250 by Judge Smith in the Superior court, and in passing on the case, the court took the opportunity to rule on a section of the statutes which has never before been touched on in this State.

Young Knapper has been at liberty a short time on a bond which was signed by E. W. Wells and M. B. Hazeltine, and in the hearing of the matter to raise the bond of the alleged slayer, the fact was brought out in court that Messrs. Wells and Hazeltine had been indemnified by Mrs. Kellogg, mother of the defendant, to the amount of the bond which they had put up for the young man's appearance in court. In yesterday's ruling, Judge Smith held that a prisoner is not entitled to liberty under a bond signed by a bondsman who has been indemnified and relieved of all possible loss in case of the flight of the prisoner. According to the court, the intention of the law covering the bonding of accused persons contemplates that a bond shall be equivalent to a personal risk on part of the signer, who having risked a certain sum of money, will take all pains to guarantee the presence of the bonded person in court at the proper time, and in event the signer is indemnified and thus guarded against any pecuniary loss in case the accused does not appear for trial, little or no effort will probably be made to keep the accused within the jurisdiction of the court in which the latter is to be tried.

The defense admitted that Messrs. Wells and Hazeltine had been safeguarded against any loss through payments made them by Mrs. Kellogg, and in view of this fact, the court ordered the bail raised, and the defendant remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

The fact that a man charged with murder can be admitted to bail in this State, is, according to Judge Smith, an accident pure and simple. The statutes expressly provide that any person charged with a crime wherein the punishment, on conviction, is the death penalty, cannot be admitted to bail. When the recent anti-capital punishment measure was spread on the statutes, it immediately annulled the section of the law which prohibited an alleged murderer being released on bond, and at once furnished what the courts claim is a very weak spot in the State's criminal code. It was obviously not the intent of the voters to allow murderers to go at liberty while their trial is pending, but at present nothing can be done to prevent this condition, and if a man accused of a killing can secure the necessary money, he cannot be denied his liberty.

The courts are as a rule rather careful in accepting bail in a case of this sort, but in the Knapper case, the fact that the two bondsmen had been indemnified against possible loss did not reach the attention of the court until the recent hearing to raise the amount of the bail took place.

DAMAGE SUIT HEARD IN FEDERAL COURT

(From Thursday's Daily.)

The action of Nick Kuchan vs. the United Verde Copper Company of Jerome, wherein the plaintiff demands \$60,000 for the loss of his eyesight caused by an explosion, occupied the day in the Federal court yesterday.

Comparatively few witnesses were used during the trial, the defense having only one on the stand. The company's physician gave some testimony regarding the treatment which was administered to the victim following the accident. The plaintiff used only three or four witnesses in his effort to show that the accident was due primarily to the company's negligence. During the course of the trial it was brought out that the company has recently offered to settle the case with Kuchan for the sum of \$7,500, or \$3,500 more than they offered him at the time of the accident.

The case went to the jury at 5 o'clock yesterday evening, and no verdict had been reached at a late hour last night.

Awarded Big Verdict.

At 11:30 o'clock last night the jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, awarding him damages in the amount of \$25,000. It is understood that the case will be appealed by the defendant's attorneys, Anderson, Coleman & Nilsson.

GOOD PUBLICITY FOR YAVAPAI COUNTY

**ARTICLES BY MISS SPARKS
PRINTED IN U. OF A.
PUBLICATION AND IN
STATE BLUE BOOK WILL
AID MINING INDUSTRY.**

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Two descriptive articles on Yavapai county have recently been compiled by Secretary Grace M. Sparks, of the chamber of commerce. One was written for the University of Arizona and has been published by the university in pamphlet form. This treats on the history and development of mining in Yavapai county. These pamphlets will be mailed by Charles F. Willis, director of the bureau of mines, to those interested in mining and to mining engineers throughout the United States. In the Blue Book, which is issued by Secretary of State Osborn, a general article descriptive of the resources and advantages of Yavapai county appears. This pamphlet contains a list of all officials in the State and considerable information regarding the State in general and the counties in particular. Several additional copies have been received and can be had by calling at the office of the chamber of commerce.

BOOTLEGGING CHARGE

(From Sunday's Daily.)

Clarkdale officers arrested a stranger who gave his name as H. M. Holloway yesterday on a charge of introducing liquor into the State. The man had an automobile loaded with whiskey when captured. He was brought to Prescott and placed in jail yesterday evening.

A PROCLAMATION OF MOBILIZATION DAYS BY THE GOVERNOR OF ARIZONA

Executive Department,
State of Arizona.

WHEREAS, The President has ordered that the first quota of 30 per cent of the men drawn under the Selective Service Act, to form the National Army of the United States, will be mobilized on September 5th at each county seat, or other center to be designated by local boards of the several counties of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, The second 30 per cent will be mobilized on the 19th day of September, in like manner; and the third 30 per cent on October 3rd, under the same conditions; and

WHEREAS, The people of Arizona should signify their deepest sense of gratitude and affection for the loyal spirit of these valiant bodies of our young manhood, who offer their lives at their country's altar, to preserve and perpetuate liberty and freedom for all peoples against the demands of an arrogant autocracy;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Thos. E. Campbell, by power in me vested as Governor of Arizona, respectfully urge upon all our people that these days be set apart and celebrated in such a manner as to do them proper honor.

Let us all gather in the places set apart in our respective counties; and, following the example of our patriotic forefathers, wish them Godspeed and demonstrate our ardent hopes and prayers that their mission may be quickly and successfully realized; that Victory may abide with their banners and that Almighty God, in Whom we trust, as a State and nation, may in His divine providence bring our loved ones home to us again with all honor and glory.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Arizona to be affixed.

Done at Phoenix, the Capital, this 22nd day of August, A. D. 1917.

(Signed)
THOS. E. CAMPBELL,
(Seal). Governor of Arizona.

Attest: (Signed)
SIDNEY P. OSBORN,
Secretary of State.

SALARY RAISES STOPPED BY INJUNCTION

**COURT ENJOINS THE
SUPERVISORS FROM
RAISING SALARIES OF
THE COUNTY OFFICERS
UNDER ACT OF 1917.**

(From Saturday's Daily.)

By virtue of a permanent injunction issued in the Superior court yesterday afternoon by Judge Frank H. Lyman, the salaries of five of the officials of the county, which had been raised by the legislative salary act of March, 1917, were cut to the original figures, as provided in the salary act of 1913, and the contention of Supervisor William Stephens that the 1917 salary act was unconstitutional, was upheld.

The suit was brought by Mr. Stephens some time ago to restrain the supervisors of Yavapai county from paying the increased salaries as provided for in the new act. Two members of the board, of which Stephens is chairman, contended that the new salary law was o. k., and backed by favorable opinions from Attorney General Wiley E. Jones and also the county attorney of Yavapai county, proceeded to raise the salaries of five of the officials as follows: County recorder from \$2,400 to \$2,700; county treasurer from \$2,500 to \$3,000; county attorney from \$2,500 to \$3,000; county school superintendent from \$1,500 to \$2,400, and county assessor from \$2,400 to \$2,700.

Stephens, under the belief that the new salary law was not to be applied to incumbents of the various offices, contested the payment of the higher figures, and asked the court for a restraining order, basing his action on the theory that the State constitution expressly prohibits any change being made in the salary of any county official during the latter's term of office. It was held that the official, by his acceptance of the office, had virtually contracted with the county to perform the necessary work for the stipulated amount, and that he was in no wise entitled to have the amount of his pay changed during his period of office.

Judge Lyman of Maricopa county was called to Prescott to hear the case and following the introduction of the action in court, the permanent injunction was issued in favor of the plaintiff, thereby having the effect of compelling the county officers who have been paid in accordance with the new salary regulations, to make a refund to the county treasury of the amount which they have been paid over and above the salary fixed by the law of 1913.

The court held that the new salary act was not designed to affect the pay of any of the officials holding office at the present time, and was in direct conflict with Section 17, Part 2, Article 4 of the State constitution, which reads as follows:

"The legislature shall never grant any extra compensation to any public officer, agent, servant or contractor, after the services shall have been rendered or the contract entered into, nor shall the compensation of any public officer be increased or diminished during his term of office."

In many other counties of the State, the payment of salaries under the provisions of the 1917 act have been halted pending the outcome of the suit which had been filed in the Yavapai court, and the decision of Judge Lyman that the 1917 act is not yet in force will cause a cessation of payments under that statute wherever such salary boosts have been made.

Supervisor Stephens was represented in court by the firm of Norris & Norris.

New Teachers For Yavapai Schools

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Applicants at the recent quarterly examination held in this city for authority to teach in the public schools have been advised from Phoenix of the result, and among those who were successful are the following: Miss Mary E. McEachren, for a first grade certificate; for second grade are Miss Ruth Danielson, Miss Marie Olsen, Miss Priscilla Graves, Miss Grace McCracken and Miss Elsie McKee. Miss McEachren will teach in the Miller Valley school, while Miss Danielson has been retained for Groom creek, Miss Graves for Beaver creek, and Miss McCracken for Wagoner. Of the class examined there were only two who failed.